

My Native Country

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Patriotic and Graduation Song

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Maestoso

The piano introduction is in G major, 2/4 time, marked *Maestoso*. It features a melody in the right hand with accents and a bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *mf* and *f*. The piece ends with an *8va* marking.

1. Kind par - ents and friends we sing a wel - come we joy - ful - ly shout our sweet re -
 2. Oh land na - tive land we love thee deer - ly we laud and we praise your lof - ty
 3. If I e'er for - get thee na - tive coun - try which gives of your boun - ty full and
 4. Three cheers for the flag we love so dear - ly all hon - our the Red the Whie and

- frain — We'er tak - ing leave of princ - i - pal and teach - ers and
 name — The name that tow'rs so high with deeds of glo - ry is
 free — Let my right hand for - get for - get her cun - ning and
 Blue — The flag that stands for lib - er - ty and free - dom and

hope we may of - ten meet a - gain We — love our dear Lin - coln school from which we're
 writ on our hearts with fire and flame Grand sires of the past we prize your
 all right to blood bought lib - er - ty So — send out the joy - full news of
 all that is no - ble just and true Three cheers for the flag we love so

Note: - as a patriotic song omit 1st Verse

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part - ing that love in our hearts will still re - main we'er
 mem - 'ry for deeds that pre - served our God bless'd land for
 free - dom re - leive those who are in bon - dage still And
 dear - ly the flag of the land we love so well All

grate - ful for all loves kind - ly greet - ing and sing it out with glad ac -
 aye well de - fend the flag old glo - ry for lib - er - ty or death we
 give un - to all that heav'n born trea - sure sweet peace on earth to all good
 hail to the flag the flag old glo - ry three cheers and let the chor - us

- claim stand will swell the chor - us swell

let the chor - us swell Fine

maestoso rit ff ar d atempo Fine

Andante

mf

1. All na - ture seems joy - ous on this hap - py day the
 2. The mo - ments of child - hood we pass'd while at school our
 3. The mer - ry sleigh bells fill us all with de - light their

Red. * *sempre Red.*

birds in the treessweet-ly sing The ros - es and lil - ies in bright a - ray a
 mem - ry will al - ways re - tain The plea - sures en - joy'd we will oft' re - call and
 mus - ic is sweet to the ear The joys of a ride on a moon - lit night when

mes - sage of love to us bring ———
 love that was bound - less re - main ——— We joy - ful - ly grate - ful - ly
 stars twin - kle bright and so clear ———

thank - ful - ly sing for learn - ing so ful and so free ——— A —

rit mes - sage of love to our teach - ers we bring from hearts that are fill'd with glee ——— We
ar *d*

NOTE use words appropriate to the season

Allegretto

mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing

mer - ri-ly sing we mer - ri-ly sing our

mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing

songs of de-light songs of de-light joy they do bring mer-ri-ly sing

songs of de-light oh what joy they do bring we

songs of de-light songs of de-light joy they do bring mer-ri-ly sing

mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing

mer - ri-ly sing we mer - ri-ly sing of

mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing

joy in our hearts joy in our hearts mer-ri-ly mer-ri-ly sing

joy in our hearts we mer - ri-ly mer-ri-ly sing *rit.*

joy in our hearts joy in our hearts mer-ri-ly sing mer-ri-ly sing *rit.* *D.S. %*

D.C. use 4th Verse to finish